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iss Gladys Neale is visiting her er, Miss Sadie Neale, at Sweet Briat ege. Before returning she will be the guest of schoolmates at

Mrs. Rockwood's March musical will be given at her studio, 200 East Frank-lin Street, on Monday evening at 8:30

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Mrs. Clarence Williams were guests of honor recently at a morning bridge party given by Mrs. Joseph McCarlick, in ner home, in Yarmouth Street, Norvolk, Miss Jones and Mrs. Williams are guests of Mrs. Foster Murray.

Mrs. John Hunter has returned from

Miss Grace Neale is visiting friends in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Worden, whose marriage took place on the 19th of warth in New York, are now in Salein, ya., where they will make their home.

J. Biair and F. Moylen Fitts, students t riumpu.a-Sidney College, have spent to past week in Richmond.

Miss E. Lucilo Mears, of Elizabeth City county, and Inomas B. Vereli, of weaport News, were married on Thurs-may in the home of the bride.

Mr. and Mrs. William Redwood of Aspectitic N. C., are spending a few-days with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bald-win, in Ghent.

Richmond from Winchester and Har-

Miss Louise Dennis entertained re-cently a few friends at her home in North Street, Portsmouth, Among those present were Misses Lucile Hutchins Mamie Boyd, Mary Manning. Georgie Andrews, Sallie Matthews and Messrs, Coles Hutchins, Job Manning, Charles Barclay and Ensign John Cumming, U. S. N.

Miss Flizzbeth Hotchkiss is the guest of Miss Virginia Gordon in Nor-folk.

Mr. and Mrs. Talmadge A. Lambert, of Baltimore, have sent out invita-tions to the marriage of their daugh-ter. Mildred, to Dr. James A. Gannon, on Wednesday, April 14, at 11 o'clock, in Baltimore,

Guests were Mrs. Scott, Mrs. J. H.
Boswell, H. E. Boswell, Mrs. J. F. Boswell, Mrs. Ferguson, Mrs. Bostick, Mrs.
Robertson, Mrs. Agnew, Mrs. Riley,
Mrs. Bowery, Mrs. Hughes, Mrs.
Fowlkes, Mrs. Bradshaw, Mrs. Shelton,
Misses Fowlkes, Mattle and Helen
Leath, Blackstone, Woodhouse, Boker,
Holland and Kerr.

Mrs. Clara, Harvey, of Lynchburg, has announced the engagement of her daughter, Mary Atwood, to Edmund Schaefer, Jr. The wedding will be a social event of June.

Miss Julia Knowles, of Washington, is visiting Mrs. E. H. Clowes at her home, on West Grace Street.

Miss Cannon, of Washington, left Friday for a stay of several weeks, at Hot Springs, Va. Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Vandergriff are also among the early arrivals at this Virginia resort, where

lotte, N. C., is the guest of friends in Richmond.

Mrs. DeWitt Talmage and her daughter, Mrs. Rebecca Collier, have just left Washington for Europe, after the Rev. Howard Lee Jones, D. D.

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Buena Vista Social News.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Sowder captured the brush. Those in the chase were Misses Joseph Cunning-

the chase were Misses Joseph Calming, ham, Frank Stratton, A. O. Burks, D. S. Bromley, Herbert Mills, Robertson Taylor, and others. Rev. Abner Hopkins has returned from Charlestown, W. Va., where he was called to his mother, who was

Miss Carrie Richeson is quite sick with grip.

Mrs. Sallie Taliaferro is improving after an illness.

Dr. and Mrs. G. D. Meriwether have issued cards announcing the marriage of their daughter, Martha Louisa, to William Julien Dickinson.

Miss Alice Lackey, who has been the guest of Miss Carolyn Lackey, left for her home, Timber Ridge, Monday.

Miss Belle Gilkeson has returned from a visit to Waynesboro.

Miss Mary Walsche has returned from a visit to Lynchburg.

Mrs. Mary Randolph, of Greenville, is the guest of her son, Edmund Randolph.

Weldon Social News.

Gooch.

Miss Lula Steinback has returned home from a visit to Miss Gladys Hethorn, at Blackstone, Va.

Dr. and Mrs. I. E. Green spent Thursday in Richmond.

Misses Isbell and Mary Moore, of Victoria, Va., have been spending the past week here with the Misses Tilghman.

Mrs. Eva L. Bishop is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. T. Underwood, in Bichmond, this week.

from a visit to her mother in Charlotter ville, Va.

L. J. House left this week to make his home in Southern California in future.

Mrs. Alexander Brinkley, of Norfolk, has been spending the week with relatives in this community. She was en route home from Florida, where she spent the win-

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Mrs. Ashton Jones, Mrs. F. D. Cunningham, Mrs. N. A. Rees, Messrs
Parks and D. H. Rucker, Jr., are visiting their father, who is quite sick.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis
Dickinson, who has been quite ill. is
improving. His aunt, Miss Virginia
Duncan, who is a trained nurse, is
caring for him.

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Weldon Social News,

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

WELDON, N. C., March 27.—Rev. and
Mrs. Julian E. Ingle, of Henderson, are
the guests of Colonel and Mrs. W. H. S.,
Burgwyn this week.

Mrs. N. M. Austin spent a day in Richmond this week. Mrs. Austin has been
making her home in Weldon since the
death of her husband, Rev. D. B. Austin,
of the Virginia Methodist Conference, at
Courtiand, Va., some weeks ago.

Miss Nellie Lowis, of Jackson, spent
the week with Mayor and Mrs. J. T.
Gooch.

Miss Wille Tilghman has returned home



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Roanoke Social News.

[Special to The Times Disputch!]

ROANOKE VA. March 27.—Miss Corinne
Brown. of Martinaville, is visiting Miss
Elizabeth Hairston.

Mrs. T. D. Hobart is visiting relatives
in Philadelphia.

Mrs. Henry Vickers, of Martinaville, is
visiting her sister. Mrs. R. White Blair.

Miss Bessie Noel, of Stuart, who has
been visiting her aunt. Mrs. C. M. Armes,
has returned home.

Mrs. J. D. Williams, of Blacksburg, is
the guest of Mrs. John Hartman,
Miss Lena Smith, of Columbia. Pa,
who has been visiting Mrs. Ldward McComb. left for her home Friday.

Mrs. Richard Carpester, of Lafayette,
Pa, who has been visiting her adughter at
Virginia College, left for home Triday.

The Southwest Shakespeare. Club met
Tuesday at the home of Mrs. J. T. Bandy,
Miss Glenn Marshail, of Denville, is
visiting her sister, Mrs. Ernest Jennings.

the week.

Miss Nellie Mullens, of Martinaville, is visiting Miss Janet Snead at her home on Clay Street.

C. A. H. Leys has gone to Asheville,

gone to Wytheville for a visit with relatives.

S. P. Jones, of Barton Heights, has been in the city this week.

Mrs. John S. Moon has returned to her home in the city, after a stay of several weeks with relatives in Huntington. W. Va. Miss Midired Bedford, of New York, va. Washington Street, has gone home, Miss Dingee accompanying her for a stay there.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Gooch has returned to the city from a visit to Detroit, Mich.

Miss Alice Lee left. Thursday for New York, from whence she will sail for Europe on April 1.

Radford Social News.

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I RADFORD, VA., March 27.—The Wednesday Music Club met yesterday, when the subsect for the afternoon was "The French School." All of the numbers rendered were by French composers.

Hunter McElrath, who has been critically ill, is somewhat improved, and hopes are now entertained for his recovery.

H. K. McHarg. Jr., has moved into his handsome new bungalow on Third Street, which is one of the most attractive hemse in this section.

Rev. L. W. Irwin visited his mother at Lexington this week.

Dr. T. H. Johnson, a bright and popular young physician of Radford, with his family, is visiting Mrs. Johnson's mother, Mrs. Jack May, in Tagewell. The first of the mouth they will go to the army post to which Dr. Johnson has been appointed. The Ladies' Ald Society of Radford Presbyterian Church will give an Artican teat the home of Mrs. J. W. Flannagan Friday ovening, when songs and hanjo music will be given and refreshments will be served.

Rev. Luke White, rector of the Episcopal

served.

Rev. Luke White, rector of the Episcopal Church at Pulaski, preached here Sunday evening.

Roanoke Social News.

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